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In re Application of Kenichi K. Yabusaki Application No. 10/751,181 Filed: December 31, 2003 Attorney Docket No. 03-YAB-117

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed, September 17, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-cited application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed October 5, 2005, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months from its mailing date. No extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) was obtained within the allowable period. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on January 6, 2006. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed September 11, 2006.

The amendment filed September 17, 2006, is noted.

The address as cited on the petition differs from the address of record. Although a courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address as cited on the petition, all future correspondence will be mailed solely to the address of record until appropriate written instructions to the contrary are received.

The application is being forwarded to Technology Center 3600, GAU 3643 for further processing. Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3222.

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